10.5.4 Split-System Heat Pump Water Heater

Split-system HPWHs have interior storage tanks and outdoor units installed outside the house.

Requirements and Specifications

These measures are available for new and existing single-family homes and manufactured homes. Savings for multifamily homes have yet to be demonstrated and may not be claimed.

Split-System HPWH's may be rebated by the utility or distributed by Retail (Simple Steps and utility-run retail programs). Retail measures must follow the Measure Distribution Processes in the Multisector chapter.

Split-System HPWHs must meet the following qualifications:

- Listed on BPA's HPWH Qualified Products List;
- Installed according to manufacturer's specifications;
- All water or refrigerant lines connecting the tank and outdoor units shall be insulated with minimum R-4;
- If domestic hot water pipes outdoors are freeze-protected with heat cable, the cable shall be installed per manufacturer's instructions, underneath the insulation, and shall be thermostatically controlled to prevent the tape from operating above 38°F;
- No resistance heating is allowed (except heat tape for freeze protection);
- System plumbed with a thermal mixing valve, which is equipped with internal check valves on the hot and cold water lines connecting to it.

If a customer believes a product should be on the list, and it is not, the customer should use the <u>COTR Request and Acknowledgment Procedure</u> to request approval to use the product.

Documentation Requirements

| DOCUMENTATION DESCRIPTION | RETENTION/SUBMITTAL LOCATIONS | | |
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| | BPA ENERGY EFFICIENCY REPORTING SYSTEM | EEDOCS@BPA. GOV OR FAX 1-866-535-7955 | CUSTOMER FILE |
| Equipment/contractor invoice showing (a) the measure requirements have been met (e.g., manufacturer, model number, type, size and quantity of equipment or product installed/used). (b) the order/purchase date, and (c) cost OR for Retail measures follow the Documentation Description of the Retail delivery mechanism found in the Multisector section. | | | × |

Payment

| TANK SIZE | PAYMENT | RETAIL |
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| Split-System Heat Pump Water Heater – Any size tank | \$700 | \$700 |